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## United Farmers of Alberta

The regular monthly meeting of the United Farmers Association was held in McCue's hall, on Nov. 8th, R. W. Prowse in the chair, and Wm. Wilson acting as secretary. Moved by Messrs. Stetson and Morfitt, that minutes be adopted as read.—Carried.

A discussion took place regarding binder twine supplied to the members, and all were unanimous in declaring it satisfactory.

Moved by Messrs. Stetson and Morfitt, that the secretary be instructed to write Mr. Rice Shepard and invite him to address the U. F. A. at next regular meeting.

Moved by Messrs. Ferreter and Guand, that wire fence discussion be laid over until next meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Stetson and Ferriter, that election of delegates to convention also be left over.—Carried.

A W. Prowse reported a blue roan heifer, three years old, estray at his place.

Moved by Messrs. Morfitt and Stetson, that a report of the meeting be inserted in the Bowden News.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Stetson and Ferriter, that the question of salt and flour be taken up at our next meeting.

Moved by Messrs. Stetson and Morfitt, that meeting do now adjourn.—Carried.

## Fairview

Mr. Wolf was a business caller at the burg last week.

Mr. Martin, Farndale, is through threshing, and also Scott and Shelton.

Albert Lee, of Creek Side, was over to this burg on a business trip last Monday.

A. J. Beaton, south of Curlew, made a business trip to the village, and enjoyed dinner with the McArthur family.

Messrs. S. and K. Huff, of Olds, were visitors at G. D. McArthur's. They also took in Trochu on their round trip.

Mr. Bondurant, of Creek Side, spent Thursday afternoon at Fairview, and exercised himself in the blacksmith shop.

Jerry Taylor passed through here last week and spent the night with Mr. Scott, on his way to the Three Hills on business.

Mrs. Young, west of Curlew, accompanied by a friend, made a formal call at the McArthur House on their way to Mr. McLeod's, east of here.

Gilbert McArthur, of Olds, who has been in the employ of the C. P. R. at Strathmore, has returned, and stopped here over night on his way to a homestead east of Trochu.

James Scott and son, accompanied by Gilbert Morrison, of Curlew, made an attempt to their homesteads east of the river, but unfortunately had to turn back, on account of so much snow and severe frost.

## Spruce Cedars

The dance at Betchton school turned out very good.

P. Hawkins and H. Dorchester left for England Saturday morning.

T. Ashwell was a Bowden visitor last week.

S. Ball helped Mr. Scarf do some butchering last week.

Mrs. Ball and daughter made a trip to Bowden last week.

C. Adams is now working for A. Anderson.

Miss L. Hawkins and A. Samis were callers at Mr. Sherwood's Sunday evening.

## White Creek.

Miss Ella Redford is visiting in Olds.

Our fine warm weather has taken a sudden cold.

Mrs. Macy entertained, at dinner Wednesday in honor of Mr. Brooks covers were spread for eight, and a pleasant time enjoyed by all.

H. Hose is helping O. L. Partridge put stanchions in his barn, and otherwise making it more convenient for use.

The dance at Henry Hose last Thursday night Dec. 2nd, was greatly enjoyed by all those present, and a congenial crowd danced the hours away 'till 3 o'clock a. m.

Mrs. John Redford, the White Creek correspondent, who won in the watch contest, was a pleasant

caller on Saturday, and was very much pleased with the watch which she chose at C. H. Turnbull's.

The Socialists are not discouraged over the election returns, but hold weekly meetings, and many who have been studying the movement, but who never declared their views until after election are joining the local organization.

Guy Powell spent three days looking for one of his father's cows and had about decided that it must have fallen in some spring, when Mrs. Hose found it in their unused barn. In some manner the animal had got into the manger and couldn't get out but was unhurt.

Chas. Glasgow was out from Olds last week. He came over the Duncan Marshall & Liberty Party R. R., via Red Lodge, White Creek and Moose Mountain, crossing the Red Deer River on the government suspension bridge, built by nature and did not enjoy the trip. From here he goes to Iowa to study the economic system there as comparison with Socialist conditions here in Alberta.

## Trochu Locals

C. I. Pearson returned from a visit to Olds last week.

J. H. Potts is constructing a large granary for seed grain, with a capacity of six thousand bushels. The Merchants Bank of Canada are having a small addition built to their premises.

Mr. H. Von Holtum held his fortnightly German class on Thursday evening, Dec. 2.

The addition to the Trochu Valley Creamery is nearing completion.

Election Returns.—The final figures are: Duncan Marshall, Liberal, 744; Sam Welch, Socialist, 111. Liberal majority 633.

C. W. McArthur, of Trochu, left for the States last week and will spend the winter in Standpoint, Idaho.

Geo. Mason will leave for the States shortly to spend the winter, but will return to Trochu next spring.

F. W. Bernard, of Trochu, has been appointed a justice of the peace and a notary public for the Province.

Corporal Townsend and Constable Ralph, of the R. N. W. M. P., returned to Trochu last week from a visit to the Hand Hills district.

A large number of Trochu people attended the Letts School House dance on Friday evening, Dec. 3rd. A thoroughly enjoyable time was reported.

The Trochu school assessment notices have been served by the assessor, Mr. F. W. Bernard. We understand \$1000 is the sum required to be raised this year to meet the necessary expenses.

Hotel Arrivals.—A. Fowler, Calgary; B. P. Dick, Didsbury; A. L. Stewart, Perbeck; F. Reid, Olds; J. M. Stother, Calgary; J. Varty, Innisfail; J. D. Jones, Three Hills; H. L. Bodwell, G. T. P. Railway; P. C. Waters, Tolman.

The chief surveyor of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and his party are making a careful line survey thru Trochu from the Red Deer river at Content. And will be in the vicinity of the village for two or three weeks. Mr. Bodwell, the chief surveyor, was in town on Tuesday Nov. 30th, and made an inspection of the townsites and Valley.

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Presbyterian Church.—Service at 2 p.m. held by Rev J. R. Craig.

Roman Catholic Church.—High Mass 10 a.m. Benediction 5 p.m.

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**MALCOLM KIRK**A Tale of Moral Heroism  
In Overcoming the World.By CHARLES M. SHELDON,  
Author of "In His Steps," "Crucifixion of Philip Strong,"  
"Robert Hardy's Seven Days."

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(Continued.)

Dorothy, without a word, took the baby from her husband, and he, without a word, clasped his old classmate's hand, and the men stood there a moment praying.

"It's you, George?" said Kirk. "It seems good to see your face. We—"

Malcolm Kirk sat down and buried his face in his great hands and sobbed. It was the first time he had broken down in the presence of Dorothy. The sight of his old classmate had revived his Hermon memories. He saw again the old campus, its great avenues, of elms, the noble landscape of hills and woods, Dorothy's home across the campus, his own dingy little room, his love for the woman who now was sharing this great trouble with him. And he cried without attempt at concealment, for his heart was sore at the coming loss of the baby out of a home where God himself had blessed the love of a man and wife as rarely in human lives it has been blessed.

Finally he lifted up his face and spoke calmly:

"We've hoped all along, of course, but the long continued heat has been against his recovery. It's hard to part with the little fellow. See?—Malcolm Kirk rose and took the baby again from his wife, while Dorothy sat down near a table and laid her beautiful head on her arms, but still she was without a tear. "See, the little fellow smiles at me still."

The baby opened his eyes, looked up into Malcolm Kirk's gaunt, agonized countenance, and a faint light went over its face.

"Malcolm, oh, Malcolm!" cried Dorothy. "I can't endure it!"

It was the first protest that had escaped her. Like him, the presence of this friend from the old loved place in the east had stirred her heart, and even as she cried aloud in her anguish the pent up tears came, and she cried in sobs that rent her husband's heart even more than the baby's sad smile.

Wilson choked as he rose to go and said: "Kirk, may God bless and help you at this time. I would stay and watch with you or help in any way."

"No; it will not be necessary. The neighbors and church people have been very kind to us. No one can do any more."

He went away to the hotel, promising to come in the morning to inquire, and the night grew on for Malcolm and Dorothy. The doctor came in, a few of the most intimate church members also, but no one could do any more, and Malcolm Kirk held the baby with a tenderness that relieved its suffering, for they had not been able to place its body in a restful position on a bed, and it had grown used to its cradle of lung, strong arms.

It was toward morning, when no one was in the room except Malcolm and Dorothy, that the baby died. It seemed to these two as they watched it go that their hearts broke, and the world turned black and empty before them when the last breath was drawn by that frail, trembling body. For a little while Malcolm held him. Then he laid the body down on a couch, and kneeling there with his arms about his wife, he joined with her in a moment of unspeakable anguish for the death of their firstborn.

The sun came up dry and red, the heat of another day began to pour into the little room, and it seemed to the bereaved parents as if the earth was a great, dry, burned out wilderness. The neighbors called. Wilson came, and his presence and silent sympathy were a blessing to Malcolm and Dorothy. But when, later in the day, the baby had been laid in the little coffin and placed in the center of the room with a bunch of white geraniums on its breast brought in by the members of Dorothy's primary Sunday school class Dorothy laid her head down on the table beside the casket, and her grief was very, very great. Malcolm stood beside her, looking hungrily at his baby's face, and the people in the little room quietly went out and left them alone for awhile.

Next day Wilson read the funeral service and prayed at the house, and after the simple service a little company went with Malcolm and Dorothy to the cemetery just on the edge of the town, and the baby was buried there, and these children of the All Father went back to the little parsonage.

It was a great blessing to them at this time that Wilson was with them. He, seeing how they clung to his presence, staid over Sunday and preached for Malcolm. It was during this stay that he learned something of what Malcolm and Dorothy had been doing. A short extract from a letter written by him to his wife in the east will show us something of the first three years of Malcolm Kirk and his wife's

attempt to make good their pledge to help redeem the lives of the people of Conrad:

"I cannot tell you what a profound sense of sympathy I have felt for my old classmate and his wife during their great trouble, but I am simply astonished to find how great a work they have done in the three years they have been here. This is a place of about 2,000 people. It is having a boom at the present time.

"The agitation over the saloon is increasing, and I am told by Kirk and others that things are nearing a crisis and in all likelihood the next legislature will pass a prohibitory amendment. The liquor men laugh at this probability and scoff at the idea that such a law can ever be passed. There are ten saloons here in Conrad and all apparently flourishing. Among other things that the whisky element has attempted during Kirk's stay here has been to antagonize the business men in his church against Kirk with some success. Kirk's wife has been a great help to him. I think I never knew a more happy union of workers in all my life. She has been the organizer and the leader in Sunday school work, and her social influence in the town is very strong. The church membership has grown from forty odd to over a hundred, and Kirk has managed to gain a hold on a large group of young men. I think largely on account of their admiration for his unusual muscular development. I think it is probably true from what I feel and hear that already the influence of Kirk and his wife and their little church in this wild western town is the strongest influence that ever entered the place. They are very much broken up by the loss of their baby. It has been a tremendous disappointment to them. I am very anxious for them, as I think of what the result may be on their future work. The pay of a Home Missionary out here is small, and for some reason Kirk has not been able to make much with his writing. I cannot help asking myself how the loss of their baby will affect their whole work here. Mrs. Kirk seems to be stunned by the blow. I shall leave here Monday, and my greatest regret is that I cannot be of more help to my old classmate. He is at a crisis in his career, and everything depends on the way he accepts this death of his baby."

This is only a fragment of Wilson's letter, but the number of times he referred to the death of the baby as marking a crisis in the lives of Malcolm and Dorothy revealed the depth of the impression made upon his mind by the manner in which they were affected by their loss.

He went away on the morning train, and Malcolm, who had gone to the station to see him off, came slowly back to the parsonage and went into the little room next the kitchen which he had fitted up for a study. Dorothy was at work in the kitchen, and Malcolm sat down at his study table and looked out of the window across the prairie. It was unfortunate that from that window he could see the little cemetery in the distance. He sadly rose and drew the curtain clear down and went back to his desk. He

took up his pen and dipped it in the ink and then sat there, thinking, thinking, of his baby. He recalled every little look, its smile, its new habits, added day by day. His heart swelled at the thought of all that he had dreamed for his boy's future. Was God good? Was it true, this gospel of comfort he had been preaching these three years? Why, then, was he not comforted? The baby had died Thursday night.

Three days now, and yet the world expected him to go on with his work, write sermons, make calls, attend to the thousand little details that must be remembered or some one would notice and begin to complain. How could he take up the burden of life and carry it? How could he regain his old enthusiasm or help Dorothy? Were they not both smitten to the dust by this heart loss? He found himself saying all this and even half fearfully asking himself if Dorothy had not made a mistake to share her life with him. What could he offer her? What career was possible for them now in this little place?

The ink had dried on his pen, and he sat there holding it, unable to write a word. Dorothy had gone out to the well, and when he missed her step in the kitchen and glanced out of the window to see her she was sitting on a bench he had built under the cottonwood in the yard, the only tree on the place. She had left her pail at the well and sat there looking off toward the little knoll which he had shut out of his sight when he drew down his curtain.

He sat down with a groan, and for a moment the world seemed utterly empty and useless to him. He had sat there for a long time, feeling all the while that his place was by his wife's side to comfort her, but hesitating for the first time since their marriage as to the right thing to do or say, when a knock at the door roused him. He knew some one must have knocked several times. He went through the sitting room and opened the door.

A little old woman stood close up to the door, and a farm wagon and horse were out in front of the fence. "You don't remember me, Mr. Kirk?" said the little woman in a voice so thin and feeble that Malcolm was instantly reminded of a call he had made in the spring on a family living on what was called "The Forks," eight miles from Conrad, in a very desolate ravine between two ridges of land that formed almost the only hill country for miles around.

"Yes, I do," he replied. "It is Mrs. Barton, isn't it?"

The woman's face lighted up faintly. "Yes, and I'm in trouble, great trouble, Mr. Kirk, and I want you to help me."

Malcolm stared at the shabby, dusty, worn-out figure, and instantly it flashed into him that she had probably not heard yet that his baby was dead. Her next words told him that was the fact. "I've come straight here from home. My boy, Mr. Kirk, have you seen him? He left the farm Saturday with the double team and a load of hay. I haven't seen him since. I know he is in some saloon, drinking or drunk, and the money for the hay all spent. Oh, Mr. Kirk, for God's sake, help me to find him and get him home again! For the love of your own baby that you expect to grow up into a good Christian man to comfort and bless you help me to get my boy out of this hell and save him, for my heart is broken when I think of how he was once as innocent and happy as your own baby."

(To be Continued.)

**A Little Cold**

He caught a little cold—  
That was all.  
So the neighbors sadly said,  
As they gathered round his bed,  
When they heard that he was dead.  
He caught a little cold—

Neglect of a cough or cold often leads to serious trouble. To break up a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable, mix two ounces of Glycerine, a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whiskey. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. You buy these at any good drug store and easily mix them in a large bottle.

Engineers are figuring on piercing Mont Blanc for a double track, electric railroad. The tunnel would be eight miles long and would shorten the distance between Paris and Genoa over 30 miles.

Office Boy—"I want to go to my grandmother's funeral."

Employer—"I can't let you go, and I don't think you will be missed, anyway, as the last time she had a funeral there were 30,000 people there."

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126 Wellington St., West, Toronto, Ont.**THE SUNDAY SCHOOL**Lesson X.—Fourth Quarter, For  
Dec. 5, 1909.**THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.**Text of the Lesson, II Cor. viii, 1-15.  
Memory Verse, 9—Golden Text, Acts  
xx, 35—Commentary Prepared by  
Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The opening chapters of this epistle are very much on the lines we have recently been studying, those of suffering for Christ's sake and denial of self that His life may be manifest and that we in His stead may plead with man to be reconciled to God. We cannot thus plead unless we are showing something of God in our own lives. So when Paul speaks of and makes manifest the comfort which he has found in Christ and is heard saying, "Thanks be unto God, who always causeth us to triumph in Christ" (II. 14), we feel like listening to one who can thus testify. Then when he tells us that this sufficiency is wholly from God and in no sense from us (III. 5) we are encouraged, for we know that He is no respecter of persons. But when we hear him say that to manifest the life of sons and daughters of the Lord Almighty we must be separate from all unbelief and unrighteousness and darkness and cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit (vi. 14-18; vii, 1) we begin to wonder if he really mean to give ourselves to such a life.

The lesson today on "The Grace of Giving" includes chapters viii and ix, though we have but a few verses assigned us in the former. The heart of it seems to be in the memory verse viii, 9, with which we should put ix, 15, "Thanks be unto God for His unspeakable gift." Nothing can win us to a life of self denial and cheerful submission or work in us the grace of giving but the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, who, though He was rich, for our sakes became poor, that we, through His poverty, might be rich. How few consider that the familiar benediction, "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you" is really a prayer that we may be as willing to become poor for the benefit of others as He was to humble Himself even unto death for us. "Beloved, if God so loved us we ought also to love one another" (I John iv, 11).

It is written of certain Macedonian believers that they "first gave their own selves unto the Lord," and then, though very poor and greatly tried, the abundance of their joy caused them to abound in liberality (verses 1-5). No giving counts in the sight of God that is not from those who have first given themselves to Him. He may respect the gifts of those who are seeking Him, as Cornelius did, but He will surely send to such somehow increased light that they may truly know Him. Paul would stimulate the Corinthians by the example of the Macedonians, and yet he comforts them by the assurance that if they have a willing mind God will give them credit for all that they would do if they had the ability (verse 12). I am often comforted by the assurance that what He expects us to do or to give He will not fail to give the ability for the service, so it is ever an application of I Sam. x, 7, "Do as occasion serve thee," or as in the margin, "Do as thine hand shall find." But there is a word in Eccles. ix, 10, which is also pertinent, "Whatever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." In the matter of giving we have the same principle in II Cor. ix, 7, "Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give not grudgingly or of necessity, for God loveth a cheerful (hilarious) giver."

When we remember that whatever we are able to give to God we are giving Him only that which He first gave to us we can readily see that there is no room to boast of our giving. Listen to David as he gave his millions to the temple and saw his people offer so willingly: "Who am I and what is my people that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort, for all things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given thee?" (I Chron. xxix, 14). Ask him why and how he did it and hear his reply: "Because I have set my affection to the house of my God; . . . I have prepared with all my might for the house of my God" (I Chron. xxix, 2, 3). See the Israelites giving for the building of the tabernacle until Moses had to restrain them from bringing, for the stuff they had brought was sufficient and too much.

How great an illustration there is everywhere of sowing sparingly and reaping sparingly, but how few seem to understand the sowing faithfully and the reaping bountifully (ix, 6). I have for many years associated in my mind viii, 9, and ix, 8, the one telling of His grace that saves us and makes us rich to all eternity and the other of the all grace that He will make to abound toward us, that we may have all sufficiency in all things for every good work. In I Cor. xvi, 2, there is a good plan suggested in reference to giving, "Upon the first day of the week

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let every one of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him," but I have found so much blessing for over twenty years in giving to the Lord at least one-tenth of all He sends me that I must commend Mal. iii, 10, to all who will receive it. But the tithe might be considered only our duty and only that which is above the tithe our real offering. Yet there must be no bondage. It must be done cheerfully, not with any grudge, whatever is done. Let it be hilarious, with a glad "Praise the Lord for the privilege" and a hearty "Of Thine own do we give Thee."

**The Secret**

Wife. (reminiscing)—Well, I very nearly didn't marry you, John.  
John. (absent-mindedly)—I know, but who told you?  
—The Sketch.

**Poor Bill**

Noble Sportsman—Whatever it is I've shot it makes a most unearthly row!  
Keeper—Yes; poor bill ain't got a very musical voice, has he?

**Advice From the Gallery**

"A horse! A horse!" the actor cried; In accents of disdain  
A little gallery god replied: "Gwan! Git an aeroplane."  
—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Ravages of Consumption****ALL HER RELATIVES HAD DIED OF CONSUMPTION**

In the year 1890, 18 years ago, Mrs. C. S. Geener, of Belle Isle, N.S., was in a sad condition. All her relatives had died of consumption, and there was every indication that she was going the same way.

At this point her husband suggested to try Psychine. The doctor who attended said Psychine was worthless; but it effected a wonderful cure. Eighteen years after in a letter bearing date August 14, 1908, Mrs. Geener says: "I am better than I have been for years. My lungs have not troubled me since I took your treatment. My physician told me I could not take a better tonic than PSYCHINE, and I recommend it to all who are suffering from Lung Trouble and General Debility."

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**Bowden**

Our "devil" took sick with la grippe last Monday.

Dr Crawford, of Innisfail, was a business caller in Bowden on Tuesday.

The News has added another member to its mechanical force in the person of A. Miller, of Wetaskiwin.

Presbyterian church services for next Sunday, Dec. 12th, are as follows: Lone Pine, at 12 o'clock; Bowden, at 8 o'clock.

If the cold weather continues much longer some of our farmers near town will have but a few willow bushes left, as the stove needs a rather steady feeding now days.

**SUFFERING WOMEN, YOUNG AND OLD.**—If suffering women will communicate with Mrs. Graham, box 6, Bowden, Alta., a ten days free trial of Mrs. Summers home treatment will be mailed them. 30

J. Bell will have on Dec. 15th, 34 miles south of town, one of the largest sales of high grade young cattle and implements on record this fall. E. W. Shenfield will cry the sale. Do not miss being there. Ed will keep you busy.

Methodist services will be held at the following places on Sunday, Dec. 12: Nesbit, 11 a.m.; Betchton, 2.30 p.m.; Bowden, 7.30 p.m. Subject: "God's Jewels," Malachi 3, 10-17. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at Bowden at the close of the evening service.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold their Christmas Tree in the church on Friday the 24th, Christmas Eve. All parents in connection with the Sunday School will be pleased to take part to fill up the tree. All others are

cordially invited to bring presents to put on the tree. A lunch will be served during the evening. Everybody come and help to make a pleasant evening. Commencing at 8 o'clock.

The McKanlass Alabama warblers, which are coming to Bowden on Saturday, Dec. 18th, promises to be the best company that has ever been to Bowden. One of the chief features of the programme which is to be put forth will be McKanlass, who will play on his \$6000 violin. Everyone who is fond of a good evening's entertainment should be present. See prices of admission in their advertisement.

Quite a large audience gathered in the Methodist church last Friday evening to enjoy the program given by the members of the L. T. L. The children did some good singing and rendered a number of good recitations. After the program lunch and coffee was served, and all expressed themselves as having had a pleasant evening. We hope in the future to give you something better. The L. T. L. members wish to thank all present for the liberal collection received.

The anniversary services of the Presbyterian church will be held on Sunday, Dec. 19th. Rev. W. G. Brown, M.A., B.D., of Red Deer, is expected to take both services. Morning at 11, evening at 7.30. Red Lodge and Eagle Creek services will be cancelled for the anniversary Sunday. Remember the big supper and concert on Monday, Dec. 20th. All are heartily welcome. Price for concert and supper, 35c. Look out for bills containing programme.

A large number from the country and from Bowden surprised

Oscar Anderson last Tuesday evening. The party being made very comfortable upon their arrival at once commenced playing the old favorite games "pleased or displeased, and pussy wants a corner." After having satisfied themselves playing games, Mr. Anderson was urged to hunt up the old music box, and the party was "Johnny on the spot" shaking their feet to its music until the "wee wee" hours of the morning.

The funeral of William Joseph Pearson, aged 89 years, of Stettler, took place at Bowden on Friday, Dec. 3rd. The cause of death was typhoid fever. The case was rendered more sorrowful by the fact that the deceased's wife and two children were suffering with the fever and thus unable to attend the funeral. The burial arrangements were in the hands of Mr. S. G. Chute, of Stettler, who also attended as mourner, representing Mrs. Pearson and family. The deceased, who came to the Bowden district in 1894, won the hearts of all who knew him. With a kindly but unobtrusive manner he was nevertheless a great force for goodness. A member and staunch supporter of the Methodist church here, he liberally and willingly gave to the cause of Christianity in word and deed. After residing here for a term of ten years he left amid the regret but good wishes of all for Kamloops, removing from there to Stettler in 1909. Wherever he located he won the hearts of all by the spirit of sympathy and helpfulness which he showed. In business he was a pattern of honesty and faithfulness. The corpse was met at the C. P. R. depot by a large number who knew the deceased, the cortege and retinue proceeding to the Methodist church, where a short but impres-

sive service was held. After the body was viewed the funeral procession, formed, wending its way to the cemetery where the last earthly rites were performed amid manifestations of deep sorrow. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord."

**Bowden Public School**

Report for November, 1909

**SENIOR DEPARTMENT**

Aggregate attendance for month 26  
No. teaching days school was in session 22  
Aggregate days attendance 476  
Average attendance 21.6  
Percentage of attendance 83.19  
Average of marks on the examinations held during the month:  
Standard V—Walter Teeling 76, Muriel Rollans 73, Bessie Brewster 70, Dorothy Shenfield 63, Fay Stitson 58, Fred Butler 55, Cecil Graham 48.  
Standard IV—Brine Howard 80, Maud Teeling 80, Horace Rollans 73, Cora Powell 64, James Brewster 61, Eugene McCue 60, Lois Rutledge 50.  
Standard III—Reginald West 92, Catherine Campbell 88, Doreen McDermott 87, Kathleen McCue 84, James Teeling 78, Mary Stitson 64, Charlie Roulston 58, Helen Hayes 66, Thomas Lewis 50, Bertha Turnbull 45.  
Pupils who were not absent or tardy during month: Bessie Brewster, James Brewster.  
John B. Gale, Principal.

**PRIMARY DEPARTMENT**

Average attendance 23.99  
Percentage of attendance 85.67  
No. enrolled 28  
School open 22 days.  
Present every day: Jeannie Shenfield, Marjorie Shenfield, Jack Shenfield, Nora Shenfield, Lawrence Butler.  
Second Class—Mabel Campbell 92, Harold Hayward 91, Jeannie Shenfield 89, Marjorie Shenfield 88, Harvey Walton 87, Jack Shenfield 72, James Cunningham 71, Kenneth Hayes 79.  
Sr. First—Laura West 94, Lawrence Butler 88, Isabella Hayes 79, Robbie Wilson 78, Clifford Graham 63.  
Jr. First—Margaret Campbell 88, Frank Woodward 78, Annie Dysincier 75.  
Sr. Primer—Susie Wilson, Ethel Hayes, Jamer Anderson, Harry McDermott, Vernon Craig.  
Jr. Primer—Nora Shenfield, Vernon Ramsey, Mary Sorenson, Irene Huff, Bella Bruce.  
Margaret Cowan, Teacher.

# Christmas Prices

Having bought the business lately carried on by Mr. Jesse Stewart at a rate on the dollar we are offering our entire Stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes

**At Greatly Reduced Prices**

We have replenished our Stock by big shipments of New Dry Goods and Fresh Groceries, hence we are prepared to attend to your wants in all lines.

**As A Christmas Present**

and to help you enjoy this Festive Season we quote you the following prices on a few of the leading lines which will hold good during December for Spot Cash, Eggs or Potatoes.

**Imperial Tea**, three lbs \$1.00  
The best value on the market  
**Coffee**, 40c line - @ 25c per lb  
the very best @ 50c pr lb  
**Tomatoes, Corn and Peas**, 2 for 25c -- No. 1 goods  
**Green Coffee**--a Xmas Special  
Eight pounds \$1.00  
**Jelly Powders**, best--3 for 25c  
**Pickles**, in one gallon crocks \$1.00  
mixed, sweet or chow  
**Sugar**, Granulated, 20 lbs \$1.15  
**Syrup**, 10 lbs tins 65c  
Candy, mixed for 15c lb  
Nuts, all kinds, mixed, 20c lb  
Figs, new, cooking per mat \$2.00  
Raisins, new, 7 lb boxes at 75c  
Sweet Biscuits, fresh, per lb 15c  
Cranberries, Cape Cod, per lb 15c  
Apples, Ontario varieties 5 lbs 25c  
Molasses, 2 lb tins, each 15c

Special price on Candies Nuts and Oranges for Schools.

Prunes, Apricots and Ev. Apples at the lowest prices.

Baking Powder, two tins for 25c

Pineapple per tin 15c

French Peas, new, per tin 15c

Baker's Chocolate 1/2 25c

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Fine wrapperettes, ex. good quality 12 1/2c

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## Two of a Kind

The dean of a western university was told by the students that the cook was turning out food not "fit to eat." The dean summoned the delinquent, lectured him on his shortcomings, and threatened him with dismissal unless conditions were bettered.

"Why, sir," exclaimed the cook, "you oughtn't to place so much importance on what the young men tell you about my meals. They come to me in just the same way about your lectures."—The Argonaut.

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Passenger—"Conductor, isn't this train very much behind time? Seems to me that we are going very slowly."  
Conductor—"No, sir; we are making the usual time. I've been on the road ten years, and I know."  
Passenger—"Been on the road ten years! Great Scott! What station did you get on at?"—Judge.

## Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Mother—But why are you afraid to kiss Miss Effie?  
The Family Terror—Because when pa kissed her the other day on the staircase she slapped his face.

Young Husband—You want me to give up smoking. Do you know that it requires a pretty strong will to do that?  
Wife—Well, I have a strong will.

## Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents

## Hurry Ends in Indigestion

Use your teeth on your food or your stomach will suffer. Quick lunches, hurried eating, bolting food, are sure to end, sooner or later, in some form of indigestion, more or less troublesome.

## Beecham's Pills

quickly relieve the distress caused by hurried eating. They act directly on the stomach nerves and actually help the food to digest and assimilate. They are particularly good for nervous dyspepsia, bloating, hiccoughs, bitter taste in the mouth, and flatulence. With reasonable care in eating, Beecham's Pills will soon

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## Honored, but Empty.

The emperor of Austria holds lengthy dinners in detestation. In no circumstances will he spend more than forty-five minutes at table. Guests at the Imperial banquets, which invariably consist of twelve courses, suffer the tortures of Tantalus, for no sooner are their plates charged than they see them whisked away in order to keep within the time limit. The emperor's "tafeldecker," or grooms of the table, are the chief gainers by this arrangement, as all food left over goes to them as a perquisite. These officials make arrangements with the proprietor of a restaurant near the palace, whither the dishes are taken as soon as they leave the dining room, and where Vienna gourmets flock when they hear that Franz Josef is giving a state dinner. Some of the Imperial guests have been known to visit this restaurant after leaving the palace in an honored but empty condition.—London Chronicle.

## The Royal Picture Dealer.

"The royal picture dealer is making preparations for another sale," says the Brussels correspondent of a Berlin paper. "The people of Belgium are still muttering about the sale of the old masters by King Leopold, but the royal merchant is not disturbed and shows his disregard by sending a collection of 250 modern works on its first stage to the auctioneer's block. The pictures were taken from the royal residence to the museum, where they may be seen by those who pay for the privilege for three months, and then to the auctioneer. Leopold will also sell all the castle furniture, and liberal American purchasers will receive as gratuities letters of Louis Philippe which will guarantee the genuineness of the various pieces."

## Cause For Worry.

"We are going to consult a specialist about our boy," says the father.  
"About your boy?" echoes the friend.  
"Why, he seems to be a perfectly healthy, rugged lad."  
"I know, but we have asked him time and again what he wants to be when he grows up, and he never has said that he wants to be a railway engineer."—New York Life.

## Supernatural.

"When I observe the way some things go in New York, over which we make a fuss when we get them," said the Rev. Thomas D. Siker, "and think of what we ought to have I am reminded of the poor minister who had seven children and whose family was increased to eight. He told his eldest child, a daughter, about the new baby.  
"Well, father," she said, "I suppose it is all right, but there are a lot of things we needed more."—Saturday Evening Post.

## What She Hoped.

Miss Cayenne—Why, I thought you were to sail for Europe yesterday.  
Callowit—That was me—aw—intention, docher know, but I—aw—changed me mind at the last moment.  
Miss Cayenne—Glad to hear it, and I hope you got a better one in the exchange.—Pittsburg Post.

## Her Weight of Sin.

"Mother, I've a dreadful thing to confess to you. Last night when you told me to lie down in bed I lied down, but after you turned out the gas I grounded my teeth at you in the dark!"—London Punch.

## Your Gait.

Don't go such a fearful rate. Take a slow an' stiddy gait. Don't you think you'd better heed Common sense an' check your speed? Rome warn't fashioned in a day. Hurry jobs don't never stay. Take a gait that's safe an' sane. Then keep pushin' on the rein.

Better make it slow an' sure Et you want it to endure. Lots o' things kin hap, indeed. When you try to overspeed. You might git there quicker, an' Then ag'in you mightn't land. There's a gait that's safe an' sane. Take it, then push on the rein.

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Johnnie—Dunno.

Teacher—You don't know after all my teaching.

Johnnie—No. If Shackleton can't find it, there's no use of me trying.

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UP to 20 years ago, most everyone considered that all Underwear—no matter how well cut and made—would shrink and harden.

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"Before we were married you used to write me three letters a day."

"Did I really?"

"Yes, you did. And now you are annoyed because I ask you to write me a little of a cheque."

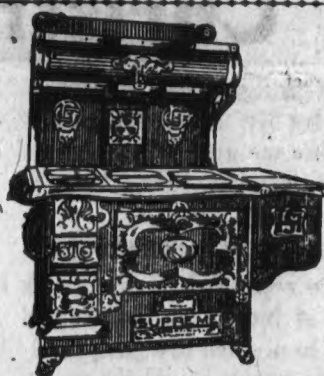
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"Why," replied Effie, wisely, "the 'd' has its tummy on its back."—Tit-Bits.

Miss Helen Gould has given \$150,000 to the American college for girls at Constantinople. The college is about to move from Scutari to the European side of the Bosphorus. Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, a native of Canterbury, N.H., is the president.

**A Cure for Rheumatism.**—A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood; the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

"Didn't I tell yer that Bill wuz too slow to live?" "Why, what's 'e bin and done now?" "He's gone and got run over by a hearse."

## Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Mother—"What is the matter, my dear? Why are you crying?"

Harry (between sobs)—"I left my m'lassees candy on that chair, and the deacon's a-sitting on it."

As a vermifuge there is nothing so potent as Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it can be given to the most delicate child without fear of injury to the constitution.

Mother—"Were you good at the party?"

Six-year-old—"Yes."

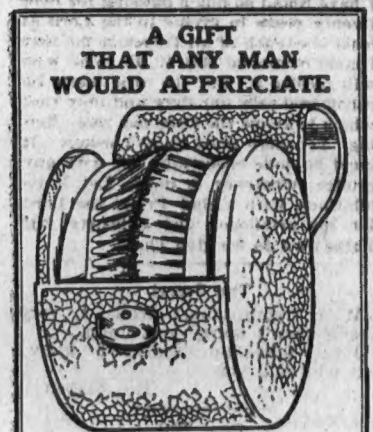
Mother—"You didn't ask twice for anything at the table?"

Six-year-old—"No, I didn't. I asked once and they didn't hear me, so I helped myself."

## SICK HEADACHES

are not caused by anything wrong in the head, but by constipation, biliousness and indigestion. Headache powders or tablets may deaden, but cannot cure them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills do cure sick headache in the sensible way by removing the constipation or sick stomach which caused them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are purely vegetable, free from any harmful drug, safe and sure. When you feel the headache coming take

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## Not Bright to Him

Don't get down in the mouth, old man," said the optimist, "look on the bright side of things."

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**A Pill That Proves Its Value.**—Those of weak stomach will find strength in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful action of the stomach and the liver, irregularities in which are most distressing. Dyspeptics are well acquainted with them and value them at their proper worth. They have afforded relief when other preparations have failed, and have effected cures in ailments of long standing where other medicines were found unavailing.

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He—"Why, then they just suit your golden hair."—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

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Mistress—"Now, remember, Bridget, the Joneses are coming to dinner to-night."

Cook—"Leave it to me, mum. I'll do my worst! They'll never trouble you again."

The Governor of Sierra Leone declares in his report that the special identification of the colony with the phrase "The White Man's Grave" is now a libel. The governor suggests that the graveyard metaphor should itself be decently interred.

The German improved Dreadnought Westfalen made its trial run in the North sea. She did twenty knots an hour with 24,000 horsepower. The contract with the Weser yard only stipulated for nineteen knots and 20,000 horsepower.

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Doctor (to his cook, who is just leaving)—"Well, Mina, I am sorry, but I can only give you a very indifferent character."—Well, sir, never mind. Just write it like you do your prescriptions."

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Tommy (during a temporary lull in the conversation)—"I say, ma, isn't it a pity you haven't got the toothache instead of poor Jane?"

Ma—"Gracious me; why dear?"

Tommy—"Why, cos you can take yours out, and she can't."—The Sketch.

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"Does your husband play cards for money?"

"Judging from practical results," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "I should say not. But all the other men in the game do."

There are 404 merchant vessels now equipped for wireless telegraphy and 302 vessels fitted with submarine signalling apparatus, according to the annual report of Lloyd's Register.

## Something in It

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" queried the shiftless person.

"Yes," rejoined the hustler. "There is more or less intelligence and perseverance in it."

## Easy to Tell

With hisses and groans the audience greeted the principal scene of the new drama. All hope, then, was at an end.

"It's hard to tell just what the public wants," murmured the heart-broken playwright.

"It's easy enough to tell in this case," said the manager grimly. "It wants its money back!"

"Jabez it gettin' used to public speakin', ain't he?" "Oh, yes. I remember when you could hardly get him to stand up, an' now you can hardly get him to sit down."

## WOMEN WHO SUFFER

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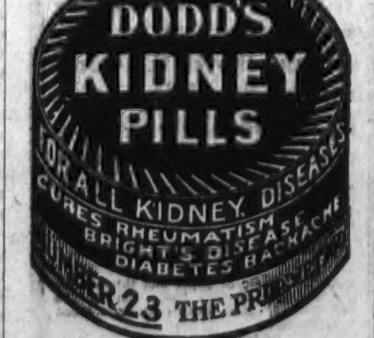
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He—"What is it?"

She—"I don't believe you."



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## Viscount Morley.

"Honest John is a title often applied to Mr. John Burns, but the prior claim to it rests with Viscount Morley, Secretary of State for India. He earned it years ago by his stolidly unchanging attitude on all questions once he has made up his mind.

First entering Parliament as member for Newcastle-on-Tyne in 1883, John Morley soon gained the confidence of Gladstone, and was Chief Secretary for Ireland in the Home Rule Government of 1886. He took up the same office on Gladstone's return to power in 1892, and was thus largely responsible for both the Grand Old Man's Home Rule Bills.

From 1895 until he was raised to the Peerage Lord Morley represented the Montrose Burghs.

Besides being a politician, Lord Morley is journalist, barrister, and author. He was the first editor to become a Cabinet Minister in this country, and was actually engaged in writing a "leader" when he received the letter offering him the post. He accepted, and then returned to finish his article.

Over twenty years ago John Morley made his celebrated declaration: "Be sure that from henceforth no power on earth can separate the question of mending the House of Commons from that other question of mending or ending the House of Lords."

## A \$20,000 Animal.

So much has recently been heard of the North and South Polar regions that one is inclined to forget that other parts of the world possess tracts where the foot of man has never trodden.

Probably, towards the end of this month, Mr. Walter Goodfellow, the well-known traveler, is to lead an expedition into the interior of Dutch New Guinea, a land which is totally unknown. Zoological exploration is the object in view, and the expedition has been organized by Mr. W. R. Ogilvie-Grant to commemorate the jubilee of the British Ornithologists' Union.

An abundance of various zoological treasures is expected to be found, the most interesting of all being a very large mammal, whose footprints have already been observed.

A member of the expedition of Dr. Lorentz, the Dutch explorer, two years ago, is said to have actually seen the animal, and described it as very large, striped black and white, with a nose like a tapir, and a face like a devil. It is considered that the discovery of a huge tapir-like marsupial would alone justify the expenditure of \$20,000, which is the estimated cost of the expedition.

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She—"Do you suppose a man ever spoke the truth when he told a woman she was the only one he ever kissed?"

He—"Well, I don't believe, Adam, lied about it to Eve."

The Canadian Pacific Railway are running their Annual Excursions from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta to Eastern Canada, and with the Touring Sleeping Cars, now run on all through trains, enables passengers from Western Canada to travel East with comfort, and at a minimum cost. By taking the "All Canadian Route" (C.P.R.) passengers have very few changes of cars, no tedious transfers across crowded cities and no examination or bonding of baggage.

In a new Bismarck biography written by Prof. Erich Marck in reference to a love episode in the great statesman's youth. When about 22, he was, says the biographer, engaged to Miss Russell, who belonged to an English noble family. He was much devoted to her, but the engagement was broken off.

## Minard's Liniment relieves Neuralgia.

Lord Archibald Campbell has presented to the Musee de l'Arme, in Paris, the flag hoisted by Napoleon at Elba. This flag, red and white, with bold bees, is supposed to have been copied from that of Cosmo de Medicis, a former sovereign of Elba.

First Fair Invalid—"Which kind of doctor do you prefer—the allopathic or the homeopathic?"

Second Fair Invalid—"I prefer the sympathetic."—Fligende Blaetter.



## HANDS COVERED WITH ECZEMA

"For three weeks I actually had to be fed like one feeds a baby, because my hands and arms were so covered with eczema that they had to be bound up all the time."

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Japan has apple trees nowadays as well as cherry trees; the money value of this year's Japanese apple crop is estimated at \$1,500,000. There's no home market to speak of in Japan for Irish potatoes, onions or cabbages, but the Japanese farmers are now raising all three for exportation to the Philippines, Siberia and Australia.

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**MALCOLM KIRK**A Tale of Moral Heroism  
In Overcoming the World.By CHARLES M. SHELTON,  
Author of "In His Steps," "Crucifixion of Philip Strong,"  
"Robert Hardy's Seven Days."

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(Continued.)  
Dorothy, without a word, took the baby from Malcom's arms, and, without a word, clasped his old classmate's hand, and the men stood there a moment praying.

"It's you, George," said Kirk. "It seems good to see your face."

Malcom Kirk sat down and buried his face in his great hands and sobbed. It was the first time he had broken down in the presence of Dorothy. The sight of this old classmate had revived his memories. He saw, again, the old campus, its great avenues of elms, the noble landscape of hills and woods, Dorothy's home across the campus, his own dingy little room, his love for the woman who now was sharing this great trouble with him. And he cried without attempt at concealment, for his heart was sore at the coming loss of the baby out of a home where God himself had blessed the love of a man and wife as rarely in human lives it has been blessed.

Finally he lifted up his face and spoke calmly:

"We've hoped all along, of course, but the long continued heat has been against his recovery. It's hard to part with the little fellow. See—Malcom Kirk rose and took the baby again from his wife, while Dorothy sat down near a table and laid her beautiful head on her arms, but still she was without a tear. "See, the little fellow smiles at me still."

The baby opened his eyes, looked up into Malcom Kirk's gaunt, agonized countenance, and a faint light went over its face.

"Malcom, oh, Malcom," cried Dorothy. "I can't endure it!"

It was the first protest that had escaped her. Like him, the presence of this friend from the old loved place in the east had stirred her heart, and even as she cried aloud in her anguish the pent up tears came, and she cried in sobs that rent her husband's heart even more than the baby's smile.

Wilson looked at her rose to go and said: "Kirk, may God bless and help you at this time. I would stay and watch with you or help in any way."

"No, it will not be necessary. The neighbors and church people have been very kind to us. No one can do any more."

He went away to the hotel, promising to come in the morning to inquire, and the night grew on for Malcom and Dorothy. The doctor came in, a few of the most intimate church members also, but no one could do any more, and Malcom Kirk held the baby with a tenderness that relieved its suffering, for they had not been able to place its body in a respectful position on a bed, and it had grown used to its cradle of long, strong arms.

It was toward morning, when no one was in the room except Malcom and Dorothy, that the baby died. It seemed to these two as they watched it go that their hearts broke, and the world turned black and empty before them when the last breath was drawn by that frail, trembling body. For a little while Malcom held him. Then he laid the body down on a couch, and kneeling there with his arms about his wife, he joined with her in a moment of unspeakable anguish for the death of their firstborn.

The sun came up dry and red, the heat of another day began to pour in to the little room, and it seemed to the bereaved parents as if the earth was a great, dry, burned out wilderness. The neighbors called. Wilson came, and his presence and silent sympathy were a blessing to Malcom and Dorothy. But when, later in the day, the baby had been laid in the little coffin and placed in the center of the room with a bunch of white geraniums on its breast brought in by the members of Dorothy's primary Sunday school class Dorothy laid her head down on the table beside the casket, and her grief was very, very great. Malcom stood beside her, looking hungrily at his baby's face, and the people in the little room quietly went out, and left them alone for a while.

Next day Wilson read the funeral service and prayed at the house, and after the simple service a little company went with Malcom and Dorothy to the cemetery just on the edge of the town, and the baby was buried there, and these children of the "All Father" went back to the little parsonage.

It was a great blessing to them at this time that Wilson was with them. He, seeing how they clung to his presence, stood over Sunday and preached for Malcom. It was during this stay that he learned something of what Malcom and Dorothy had been doing. A short extract from a letter written by him to his wife in the east will show us something of the first three years of Malcom Kirk and his wife's

attempt to make good their pledge to help redeem the lives of the people of Conrad:

"I cannot tell you what a profound sense of sympathy I have felt for my old classmate and his wife during their great trouble, but I am simply astonished to find how great a work they have done in the three years they have been here. This is a place of about 2,000 people. It is having a boom at the present time.

"The agitation over the saloon is increasing, and I am told by Kirk and others that things are nearing a crisis and in all likelihood the next legislature will pass a prohibitory amendment. The liquor men laugh at this probability and scout the idea that such a law can ever be passed. There are ten saloons here in Conrad and all apparently flourishing. Among other things that the whiskey element has attempted during Kirk's stay here has been to antagonize the business men in his church against Kirk with some success. Kirk's wife has been a great help to him. I think I never knew a more happy union of workers in all my life. She has been the organist and the leader in Sunday school work, and her social influence in the town is very strong. The church membership has grown from forty odd to over a hundred, and Kirk has managed to gain a hold on a large group of young men. I think largely on account of their admiration for his unusual muscular development. I think it is probably true from what I feel and hear that already the influence of Kirk and his wife and their little church in this wild western town is the strongest influence that ever entered the place. They are very much broken up by the loss of their baby. It has been a tremendous disappointment to them. I am very anxious for them, as I think of what the result may be on their future work. The pay of a Home Missionary out here is small, and for some reason Kirk has not been able to make much with his writing. I cannot help asking myself how the loss of their baby will affect their whole work here. Mrs. Kirk seems to be stunned by the blow. I shall leave here Monday, and my greatest regret is that I cannot be of more help to my old classmate. He is at a crisis in his career, and everything depends on the way he accepts this death of his baby."

This is only a fragment of Wilson's letter, but the number of times he referred to the death of the baby as marking a crisis in the lives of Malcom and Dorothy revealed the depth of the impression made upon his mind by the manner in which they were affected by their loss.

He went away on the morning train, and Malcom, who had gone to the station to see him off, came slowly back to the parsonage and went into the little room next the kitchen which he had fitted up for a study.

Dorothy was at work in the kitchen, and Malcom sat down at his study table and looked out of the window across the prairie. It was unfortunate that from that window he could see the little cemetery in the distance. He finally rose and drew the curtain clear down and went back to his desk. He

took up his pen and dipped it in the ink and then sat there, thinking, thinking, of his baby. He recalled every little look, its smile, its new habits, added day by day. His heart swelled at the thought of all that he had dreamed for his boy's future. Was God good? Was it true, this gospel of comfort he had been preaching these three years? Why, then, was he not comforted? The baby had died Thursday night.

Three days, now, and yet the world expected him to go on with his work, write sermons, make calls, attend to the thousand little details that must be remembered or some one would notice and begin to complain. How could he take up the burden of life and carry it? How could he regain his old enthusiasm or help Dorothy? Were they not both slain to the dust by this heart loss? He found himself, saying all this and even half fearfully asking himself if Dorothy had not made a mistake to share her life with him. What could he offer her? What career was possible for them now in this little place?

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word. Dorothy had gone out to the well, and when he missed her step in the kitchen, and glanced out of the window to see her she was sitting on a bench he had built under the cottonwood in the yard, the only tree on the place. She had left her pail at the well and sat there looking off toward the little knoll which he had shut out of his sight when he drew down his curtain.

He sat down with a groan, and for a moment the world seemed utterly empty and useless to him. He had sat there for a long time, feeling all the while that his place was by his wife's side to comfort her, but hesitating for the first time since their marriage as to the right thing to do or say when a knock at the door roused him. He knew some one must have knocked several times. He went through the sitting room and opened the door.

A little old woman stood close up to the door, and a farm wagon and horse were out in front of the fence.

"You don't remember me, Mr. Kirk?" said the little woman in a voice so thin and feeble that Malcom was instantly reminded of a call he had made in the spring on a family living on what was called "The Forks," eight miles from Conrad, in a very desolate ravine between two ridges of land that formed almost the only hill country for miles around.

"Yes, I do," he replied. "It is Mrs. Barton, isn't it?"

The woman's face lighted up faintly. "Yes, and I'm in trouble, great trouble, Mr. Kirk, and I want you to help me."

Malcom stared at the shabby, dusty, worn-out figure, and instantly it flashed into him that she had probably not heard yet that his baby was dead. Her next words told him that was the fact.

"I've come straight here from home. My boy, Mr. Kirk, have you seen him? He left the farm Saturday with the double team and a load of hay. I haven't seen him since. I know he is in some saloon, drinking or drunk, and the money for the hay all spent. Oh, Mr. Kirk, for God's sake help me to find him and get him home again. For the love of your own baby that you expect to grow up into a good Christian man to comfort and bless you help me to get my boy out of this hell and save him, for my heart is broken when I think of how he was once as innocent and happy as your own baby."

(To be Continued.)

**A Little Cold**  
He caught a little cold—

That was all.

So the neighbors sadly said,  
As they gathered round his bed,  
When they heard that he was dead.

He caught a little cold—

That was all. (Puck.)

Neglect of a cough or cold often leads to serious trouble. To break up a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough, that is curable, mix two ounces of Glycerine, a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whiskey. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. You buy these at any good drug store and easily mix them in a large bottle.

Engineers are figuring on piercing Mont Blanc for a double track, electric railroad. The tunnel would be eight miles long and would shorten the distance between Paris and Genoa over 30 miles.

Office Boy—"I want to go to my grandmother's funeral."

Employer—"I can't let you go, and I don't think you will be missed, anyway, as the last time she had a funeral there were 30,000 people there."

The output of the mining industry of Japan for 1908 totalled \$51,583,000.



The death of the firstborn.

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**THE SUNDAY SCHOOL**Lesson X.—Fourth Quarter, For  
Dec. 5, 1909.**THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.**

Text of the Lesson, 11 Cor. viii, 1-15.  
Memory Verse, 9—Golden Text, Acts  
xx, 35—Commentary Prepared by  
Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The opening chapters of this epistle are very much on the lines we have recently been studying, those of suffering for Christ's sake and denial of self that His life may be manifest and that we in His stead may plead with man to be reconciled to God. We cannot thus plead, unless we are showing something of God in our own lives. So when Paul speaks of and makes manifest the comfort which he has found in Christ and in heard saying, "Thanks be unto God, who always causeth us to triumph in Christ" (ii, 14), we feel like listening to one who can thus testify. Then when he tells us that this sufficiency is wholly from God and in no sense from us (iii, 5) we are encouraged, for we know that He is no respecter of persons. But when we hear him say that to manifest the life of sons and daughters of the Lord Almighty we must be separate from all unbelief and unrighteousness and darkness and cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit (vi, 14-18; vii, 1) we begin to wonder if we really mean to give ourselves to such a life.

The lesson today on "The Grace of Giving" includes chapters viii and ix, though we have but a few verses assigned us in the former. The heart of it seems to be in the memory verse viii, 9, with which we should put ix, 15. "Thanks be unto God for His unspeakable gift." Nothing can win us to a life of self denial and cheerful submission or work in us the grace of giving but the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, who, though He was rich, for our sakes became poor, that we, through His poverty, might be rich. How few consider that the familiar benediction, "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you," is really a prayer that we may be as willing to become poor for the benefit of others as He was to humble Himself even unto death for us. "Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another" (I John iv, 11).

It is written of certain Macedonian believers that they "first gave their own selves unto the Lord," and then, though very poor and greatly tried, the abundance of their joy caused them to abound in liberality (verses 1-3). No giving counts in the sight of God that is not from those who have first given themselves to Him. He may respect the gifts of those who are seeking Him, as Cornelius did; but He will surely send to such somehow increased light that they may truly know Him. Paul would stimulate the Christians by the example of the Macedonians, and yet he comforted them by the assurance that if they have a willing mind God will give them credit for all that they would do if they had the ability (verse 12). I am often comforted by the assurance that what He expects us to do or to give He will not fail to give the ability for the service, so it is ever an application of I Sam. x, 7, "Do as occasion serve thee," or as in the margin, "Do as thine hand shall find." But there is a word in Eccles. ix, 10, which is also pertinent. "Whatever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." In the matter of giving we have the same principle in I Cor. ix, 7. "Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give not grudgingly or of necessity, for God loveth a cheerful (hilarious) giver."

When we remember that whatever we are able to give to God we are giving Him only that which He first gave to us we can readily see that there is no room to boast of our giving. Listen to David as he gave his millions to the temple and saw his people offer so willingly: "Who am I, and what is my people that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort, for all things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given thee?" (I Chron. xix, 14). Ask him why and how he did it and hear his reply: "Because I have set my affection to the house of my God; \*\*\* I have prepared with all my might for the house of my God" (I Chron. xix, 2). See the Israelites giving for the building of the tabernacle until Moses had to restrain them from bringing for the stuff they had brought was sufficient and too much.

How great an illustration there is everywhere of sowing sparingly and reaping sparingly, but how few seem to understand the sowing bountifully and the reaping bountifully (ix, 4). I have for many years associated in my mind viii, 9, and ix, 8, the one telling of His grace that saves us and makes us rich to all eternity and the other of the all grace that He will make to abound toward us, that we may have all sufficiency in all things for every good work. In I Cor. xvi, 2, there is a good plan suggested in reference to giving. "Upon the first day of the week

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let every one of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him," but I have found so much blessing for over twenty years in giving to the Lord at least one-tenth of all He sends me that I must commend Mal. iii, 10, to all who will receive it. But the tithe might be considered only our duty and only that which is above the tithe our real offering. Yet there must be no bondage. It must be done cheerfully, not with any grudge, whatever is done. Let it be hilarious, with a glad "Praise the Lord for the privilege" and a hearty "Of Thine own do we give Thee."

**The Secret**  
Wife (reminiscing)—Well, I very nearly didn't marry you, John.  
John (absent-mindedly)—I know, but who told you?  
—The Sketch.

**Poor Bill**  
Noble Sportsman—Whatever it is I've shot it makes a most unearthly row!  
Keeper—Yes; poor bill ain't got a very musical voice, has he?

**Advice From the Gallery**  
"A horse! A horse!" the actor cried; In accents of disdain  
A little gallery god replied: "Gwan! Git an aeroplane."  
—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Ravages of Consumption**

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The following resolutions were passed:

Resolutions of the Mayton Board of Trade sheweth that:

1. Whereas, the settlement running north and south, parallel to the C. & E. railway, and from 12 to 40 miles therefrom is unsurpassed in quality of soil, 90 per cent. of which is capable of cultivation, and of the highest degree of productivity, the average yield per quarter section of hay alone being about two hundred tons, which

taking as an illustration and computing as a unit of this territory, say 12 miles wide and 30 miles long, we had the stupendous annual yield of 288,000 tons, which represents at present market value in cash \$2,304,000.

2. And whereas, every available farm in said territory is occupied and producing approximately—exact figures not obtainable—from 1,500 to 15,000 bushels of grain yearly, which tremendous production the farmers are obliged to dispose of, at little or no profit, owing to the topography of the country, lying between them and the C. & E. railway, and also the long distance thereto.

3. And whereas, the railway line now being located by the C. & N. R. railway, if built, would relieve this distressing condition and encourage the farmers to double or triple their yearly production of grain, hay, and other shipping commodities.

4. And whereas, the said C. N. R. secured a charter from the Dominion Government, and also the guarantee of the interest of their bonds from the Provincial Government of this Province, and now intimates their intention of asking the Dominion Government an extension of time in which to proceed with the construction thereof.

5. And whereas, the advancement, progress, and prosperity of this section, so remote from railway facilities, could not have been attained except for the town of Mayton, with its Board of Trade, large general store, large creamery, meat market, and post office, the establishing of which necessitated the expenditure of a large amount of capital.

6. And whereas, the business transacted in said post office, the amount of butter manufactured in said creamery, and the amount of goods handled by said general store for the past season, indicates as correctly as anything can, the advancing condition of this settlement and the business done in this town: be it here stated that the receipts of this post office for the year is about \$8,000, and that the said creamery for the season just closed manufactured and shipped 160,000 lbs of butter, and said general store bought and shipped about 100,000 lbs of butter, eggs, and poultry, and handled about 600,000 lbs of general merchandise all of which had to be hauled 19½ miles to and from the railroad.

Be it therefore resolved, that in view of the facts, statements and conditions herein set forth, and the favors bestowed upon the said C. N. R. Co'y by the said government; but not in any hostile spirit towards the said railway company, this Board is of the opinion that the government should not grant said extension except upon the most positive assurance that construction be commenced and prosecuted to completion the following year, and be it

Further Resolved, that in view of the large amount of capital invested, the enormous amount of business done in the already established town of Mayton, situated in the large stretch of practically level country, with abundance of good water and good building facilities, with fine roads centering thereat from all the surrounding country, and almost centrally located east of Olds and Bowden, thereby enabling it to serve a larger territory than it would if more directly east of either of these places, that the station and railway town be situated at this point.

And be it further Resolved, that this Board, together with the resident farmers of this community, petition the proper authorities to grant the aims and demands of this resolution.

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Passenger—"Conductor, isn't this tram very much behind time? Seems to me that we are going very slowly."  
Conductor—"No, sir, we are making the usual time. I've been on the road ten years, and I know."  
Passenger—"Been on the road ten years! Great Scott! What station did you get on at?"—Judge.

## Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Mother—But why are you afraid to kiss Miss Effie?  
The Family Terror—Because when pa kissed her the other day on the staircase she slapped his face.

Young Husband—You want me to give up smoking. Do you know that it requires a pretty strong will to do that?

Wife—Well, I have a strong will.

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Use your teeth on your food or your stomach will suffer. Quick lunches, hurried eating, bolting food, are sure to end, sooner or later, in some form of indigestion, more or less troublesome.

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## Honored, but Empty.

The emperor of Austria holds lengthy dinners in detestation. In no circumstances will he spend more than forty-five minutes at table. Guests at the imperial banquets, which invariably consist of twelve courses, suffer the tortures of Tantalus, for no sooner are their plates charged than they see them whisked away in order to keep within the time limit. The emperor's "tafeldecker," or grooms of the table, are the chief gainers by this arrangement, as all food left over goes to them as a perquisite. These officials make arrangements with the proprietor of a restaurant near the palace, whither the dishes are taken as soon as they leave the dining room, and where Vienna gourmets flock when they hear that Franz Josef is giving a state dinner. Some of the imperial guests have been known to visit this restaurant after leaving the palace in an honored but empty condition.—London Chronicle.

## The Royal Picture Dealer.

"The royal picture dealer is making preparations for another sale," says the Brussels correspondent of a Berlin paper. "The people of Belgium are still muttering about the sale of the old masters by King Leopold, but the royal merchant is not disturbed and shows his disregard by sending a collection of 250 modern works on its first stage to the auctioneer's block. The pictures were taken from the royal residence to the museum, where they may be seen by those who pay for the privilege for three months, and then to the auctioneer. Leopold will also sell all the castle furniture, and liberal American purchasers will receive as gratuitous letters of Louis Philippe which will guarantee the genuineness of the various pieces."

## Cause For Worry.

"We are going to consult a specialist about our boy," says the father. "About your boy?" echoes the friend. "Why, he seems to be a perfectly healthy, rugged lad." "I know, but we have asked him time and again what he wants to be when he grows up, and he never has said that he wants to be a railway engineer."—New York Life.

## Supernuous.

"When I observe the way some things go in New York, over which we make a fuss when we get them," said the Rev. Thomas R. Slicer, "and think of what we ought to have I am reminded of the poor minister who had seven children and whose family was increased to eight. He told his eldest child, a daughter, about the new baby."

"Well, father," she said, "I suppose it is all right, but there are a lot of things we needed more."—Saturday Evening Post.

## What She Hoped.

Miss Cayenne—Why, I thought you were to sail for Europe yesterday.

Callowit—That was me—aw—intention, doucher know, but I—aw—changed me mind at the last moment.

Miss Cayenne—Glad to hear it, and I hope you got a better one in the exchange.—Pittsburg Post.

## Her Weight of Sin.

"Mother, I've a dreadful thing to confess to you. Last night when you told me to lie down in bed I fled down, but after you turned out the gas I grounded my teeth at you in the dark!"—London Punch.

## Your Gait.

Don't go such a fearful rate. Take a slow an' stiddy gait. Don't you think you'd better heed Common sense an' check your speed? Rome wasn't fashioned in a day. Hurry jobs don't never stay. Take a gait that's safe an' sane. Then keep pushin' on the rein.

Better make it slow an' sure. If you want it to endure. Lots o' things kin hap, indeed. When you try to overstep. You might sit there quicker, an' Then ag'in you mightn't land. There's a gait that's safe an' sane. Take it, then push on the rein.

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Teacher—Johnnie, where is the South Pole?

Johnnie—Dunno.

Teacher—You don't know after all my teaching.

Johnnie—No. If Shackleton can't find it, there's no use of me trying.

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"I suffered for over twenty years from Lumbago and Kidney Disease," Mr. Quirk says, "and after consulting doctors and taking their medicines, made up my mind I was incurable. I was unable to work when I was persuaded to buy a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. To my great and happy surprise I had not taken half a box when I experienced great relief. Seven boxes cured me. That was in 1900 and I am still cured. I would not be without Dodd's Kidney Pills for any money. I am twenty years younger than before I took them."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidneys. Healthy Kidneys strain all the impurities out of the blood. That's why they cure Rheumatism, Sciatica and other diseases caused by the presence of uric acid in the blood.

"Before we were married you used to write me three letters a day." "Did I really?" "Yes, you did. And now you are annoyed because I ask you to write me a little of a cheque."

For Frost Bites and Chilblains.—Chilblains come from undue exposure to slush and cold and frost-bite from the icy winds of winter. In the treatment of either there is no better preparation than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, as it counteracts the inflammation and relieves the pain. The action of the oil is instantaneous and its application is extremely simple.

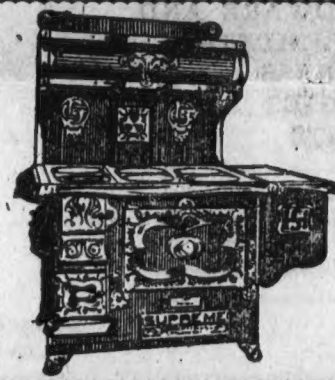
The minister always felt it to be his duty to give each young couple a little serious advice before he performed the marriage service.

"And now," he said, in closing the ceremony, "I hope you fully realize the extreme importance of the step you are taking, and that you are prepared for it."

"Prepared!" she said, innocently. "Well, if I ain't prepared, I don't know who is. I've got four common quilts and two best ones, and two brand new feather beds, ten sheets and six pairs of pillow-slips, four all-linen tablecloths, a dozen spoons, and a good six-quart kettle."

"Oh, yes, I think you're prepared," said the parson as he left the vestry.

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## Physiological

"Effie," said Margie, who was laboriously spelling words from a first reader, "how can I tell which is a 'd' and which is a 'b'?"

"Why," replied Effie, wisely, "the 'd' has its tummy on its back."—Tit-Bits.

Miss Helen Gould has given \$150,000 to the American college for girls at Constantinople. The college is about to move from Scutari to the European side of the Bosphorus. Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, a native of Canterbury, N.H., is the president.

**A Cure for Rheumatism.**—A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood, the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

"Didn't I tell yer that Bill wuz too slow to live?" "Why, what's 'e bin and done now?" "He's gone and got run over by a hearse."

## Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Mother—"What is the matter, my dear? Why are you crying?"

Harry (between sobs)—"I left my m'lasses candy on that chair, and the deacon's a-sitting on it."

As a vermifuge there is nothing so potent as Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it can be given to the most delicate child without fear of injury to the constitution.

Mother—"Were you good at the party?"

Six-year-old—"Yes."

Mother—"You didn't ask twice for anything at the table?"

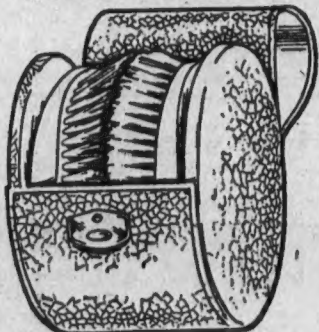
Six-year-old—"No, I didn't. I asked once and they didn't hear me, so I helped myself."

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are not caused by anything wrong in the head, but by constipation, biliousness and indigestion. Headache powders or tablets may deaden, but cannot cure them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills do cure sick headache in the sensible way by removing the constipation or sick stomach which caused them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are purely vegetable, free from any harmful drug, safe and sure. When you feel the headache coming take

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Don't get down in the mouth, old man," said the optimist, "look on the bright side of things."

"That's all very well," mournfully replied the sufferer, "but what is the bright side of a gumboil?"

**A Pill That Proves Its Value.**—Those of weak stomach will find strength in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful action of the stomach and the liver, irregularities in which are most distressing. Dyspeptics are well acquainted with them and value them at their proper worth. They have afforded relief when other preparations have failed, and have effected cures in ailments of long standing where other medicines were found unavailing.

She—"I have just discovered that the diamonds in the diadem you gave me last year are false."

He—"Why, then they just suit your golden hair."—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Halloway's Corn Cure, at hand to remove them.

Mistress—"Now, remember, Bridget, the Joneses are coming to dinner tonight."

Cook—"Leave it to me, mum. I'll do my worst! They'll never trouble you again."

The Governor of Sierra Leone declares in his report that the special identification of the colony with the phrase "The White Man's Grave" is now a libel. The governor suggests that the graveyard metaphor should itself be decently interred.

The German improved Dreadnought Westfalen made its trial run in the North sea. She did twenty knots an hour with 24,000 horsepower. The contract with the Weser yard only stipulated for nineteen knots and 20,000 horsepower.

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Doctor (to his cook, who is just leaving)—Well, Mina, I am sorry, but I can only give you a very indifferent character—Well, sir, never mind. Just write it like you do your prescriptions."

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Yours,  
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Tommy (during a temporary lull in the conversation)—"I say, ma, isn't it a pity you haven't got the toothache instead of poor Jane?"

Ma—"Gracious me; why dear?"

Tommy—"Why, cos you can take yours out, and she can't."—The Sketch.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

Often what appear to be the most trivial occurrences of life prove to be the most momentous. Many are disposed to regard a cold as a slight thing, deserving of little consideration, and this neglect often results in most serious ailments entailing years of suffering. Drive out colds and coughs with Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the recognized remedy for all affections of the throat and lungs.

**Just Went Through the Motions**  
"Does your husband play cards for money?"

"Judging from practical results," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "I should say not. But all the other men in the game do."

There are 404 merchant vessels now equipped with wireless telegraphy and 302 vessels fitted with submarine signalling apparatus, according to the annual report of Lloyd's Register.

**Something in It**  
"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" queried the shiftless person.

"Yes," rejoined the hustler, "There is more or less intelligence and perseverance in it."

## Easy to Tell

With hisses and groans the audience greeted the principal scene of the new drama. All hope, then, was at an end.

"It's hard to tell just what the public wants," murmured the heart-broken playwright.

"It's easy enough to tell in this case," said the manager grimly. "It wants its money back!"

"Jabez it gettin' used to 'public speakin', ain't he?" "Oh, yes. I remember when you could hardly get him to stand up, an' now you can hardly get him to sit down."

## WOMEN WHO SUFFER

## Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Give Regularity and Good Health

Every woman at some time needs a tonic. At special times unusual demands are made upon her strength. Where these are added to the worry and hard work which falls to her lot, weakness will result unless the blood is fortified to meet the strain.

Weak women find in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the tonic exactly suited to their needs. Most of the ills with which they suffer are due to bloodlessness—a condition which the Pills readily cure. These Pills save the girl who enters into womanhood in a bloodless condition from years of misery, and afford prompt and permanent relief to the woman who is bloodless, and therefore weak. Mrs. R. Fisher, Coates, Mills, N. B., says: "Sometime ago my system was in a very anemic condition as the result of an internal hemorrhage caused by an accident. Though I had the services of a skilled doctor for a time, I did not recover my strength, and gradually I grew so weak that I could not do any house-work. As I seemed to grow steadily weaker I became much discouraged, for previous to my accident I had always been a healthy woman. About this time I received a pamphlet telling me of the strengthening powers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I procured a box at once and began using them, when they were gone I got three boxes more, and by the time I had used these I found myself somewhat stronger and my appetite much better. Before I began the Pills I could scarcely walk up stairs, and could do no work at all. Now after taking three boxes I was able to walk out in the open air. I kept on with the Pills, and after using six boxes was delighted to find that I could again attend to my household affairs. I took two more boxes of the Pills, and I felt that I was as well as ever I had been, and equal to any kind of exertion. I have since recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to friends with beneficial results."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Prussic Acid.**  
Prussic acid poisons every living thing, plants as well as animals.

**The Sweetest Town.**  
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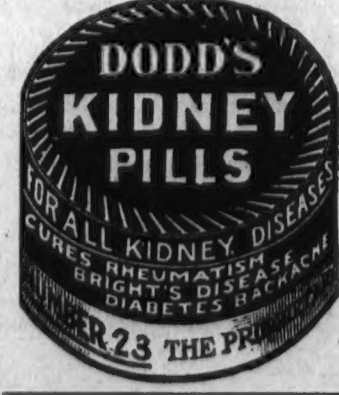
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**Viscount Morley.**  
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From 1895 until he was raised to the Peerage Lord Morley represented the Montrose Burghs.

Besides being a politician, Lord Morley is journalist, barrister, and author. He was the first editor to become a Cabinet Minister in this country, and was actually engaged in writing a "leader" when he received the letter offering him the post. He accepted, and then returned to finish his article.

Over twenty years ago John Morley made his celebrated declaration: "Be sure that from henceforth no power on earth can separate the question of mending the House of Commons from that other question of mending or ending the House of Lords."

## A \$20,000 Animal.

So much has recently been heard of the North and South Polar regions that one is inclined to forget that other parts of the world possess tracts where the foot of man has never trodden.

Probably, towards the end of this month, Mr. Walter Goodfellow, the well-known traveler, is to lead an expedition into the interior of Dutch New Guinea, a land which is totally unknown. Zoological exploration is the object in view, and the expedition has been organized by Mr. W. R. Ogilvie-Grant to commemorate the jubilee of the British Ornithologists' Union.

An abundance of various zoological treasures is expected to be found, the most interesting of all being a very large mammal, whose footprints have already been observed.

A member of the expedition of Dr. Lorents, the Dutch explorer, two years ago, is said to have actually seen the animal, and described it as very large, striped black and white, with a nose like a tapir, and a face like a devil. It is considered that the discovery of a huge tapir-like marsupial would alone justify the expenditure of \$20,000, which is the estimated cost of the expedition.

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She—"Do you suppose a man ever spoke the truth when he told a woman she was the only one he ever kissed?"

He—"Well, I don't believe Adam, lied about it to Eve."

The Canadian Pacific Railway are running their Annual Excursions from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta to Eastern Canada, and with the Touring Sleeping Cars, now run on all through trains, enables passengers from Western Canada to travel East with comfort, and at a minimum cost. By taking the "All Canadian Route" (C.P.R.) passengers have very few changes of cars, no tedious transfers across crowded cities and no examination or bonding of baggage.

In a new Bismarck biography written by Prof. Erich Marck in reference to a love episode in the great statesman's youth. When about 22, he was, says the biographer, engaged to Miss Russell, who belonged to an English noble family. He was much devoted to her, but the engagement was broken off.

## Minard's Liniment relieves Neuralgia.

Lord Archibald Campbell has presented to the Musee de l'Amee, in Paris, the flag hoisted by Napoleon at Elba. This flag, red and white, with bold bees, is supposed to have been coined from that of Cosmo de Medicis, a former sovereign of Elba.

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Second Fair Invalid—"I prefer the sympathetic."—Fligende Blaetter.



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Japan has apple trees nowadays as well as cherry trees; the money value of this year's Japanese-apple crop is estimated at \$1,500,000. There's no home market to speak of in Japan for Irish potatoes, onions or cabbages, but the Japanese farmers are now raising all three for exportation to the Philippines, Siberia and Australia.

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### OLDS NEWS

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Mrs Latten, of Butte, Mont., is visiting her brother, Geo. Rounds, at Garrington.

A D Lamont made a flying business trip to Shelby, Sask., the end of last week.

Mrs Thomson, of Bellshill, Scotland, is the guest of Mrs F R Webster, of the Alberta Hotel.

The foundation work has been commenced for a large store on the corner opposite the Gazette office.

Rev T J Johnson's little daughter, who has been very ill for the past few weeks is recovering.

Mr and Mrs H B Campbell, formerly of Olds, now of Sunnyslope, left for the old country last week.

Mrs Woodman will receive next Friday afternoon, Dec. 10th, and the second Friday of each month thereafter.

A Christmas tree will be held at Hammer schoolhouse on Dec. 24th. A good programme will be provided.

A grand holiday ball will be given in the opera house, Olds, on Dec. 27th. The very best of music will be furnished. Tickets, \$1.00

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that the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its present session, for an Act further amending the Act incorporating the Company, chapter 99 of the Statutes of 1906, as amended by chapter 86 of the Statutes of 1909, by authorizing the construction of the following additional lines of railway:

(1) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between the limit of Range 12 and the west limit of Range 17, west of the third meridian, thence in a south-westerly and westerly direction to a point in the vicinity of Calgary, or to a point on the line which the Company is authorized, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, to construct to Calgary;

(2) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1) between the east limit of Range 24 and the west limit of Range 28, west of the third meridian, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to Regina or to a point in the vicinity thereof;

(3) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (2) between the east limit of Range 24 and the west limit of Range 27, west of the second meridian, to Moose Jaw, or to a point in the vicinity thereof;

(4) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, between Artland and Wainwright, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to a point on the line which the Company is authorized, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, to be constructed to Battleford;

(5) From Regina, or a point in the vicinity thereof, thence in a southwesterly and westerly direction to Lethbridge, or to a point in the vicinity of Lethbridge on the line which the Company is, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, authorized to construct from Calgary to the southern boundary of the province of Alberta at or near Coutts;

(6) From a point on the main line of the Western Division between Moose Lake and Tebe Jaune Cache, thence through the drainage of the Clearwater River, Bonaparte River, Seaton and Anderson Lakes, and the Lillooet River, or the Squamish River, or between the last two Rivers, to Vancouver, British Columbia; authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of \$50,000.00 a mile of the said lines of railway, numbered (1) to (5) inclusive and comprising the said lines within what are defined by the said Act as the "Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Extensions"; authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of \$50,000.00 a mile of the said line of railway numbered (6) and comprising the said line within what is defined by the said Act as the "British Columbia Extensions"; and also amending paragraph 11 of clause 11 of said Act, as regards the southern terminus of the line thereby authorized. Passed at Montreal this 29th day of November 1909.

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## WIDE RANGE OF STUDY

TOO MUCH TO ABSORB BY THE YOUNG IDEA

Calgary, District School Teachers Favor a Revision of the Curriculum—At the Closing Session of the Convention Some Very Excellent Papers Were Read—Favor a Provincial Association.

Calgary.—The teachers of this inspectorate believe the curriculum of studies in the public schools to be too large and too much characterized by facts. Because of this fact they adopted resolutions at the closing session of their annual meeting in the High school, asking the provincial department of education to make a revision. The resolutions were introduced by the resolutions committee, consisting of Dr. A. M. Scott, L. H. Luck, C. A. Richardson and W. E. Hay. They follow:

"Resolved, That this convention of the teachers of the Calgary inspectorate urge upon the attention of the minister and the department of education the necessity for a thorough revision of the curriculum of studies in both public and high school standards, this revision to have in view the object of relieving rather than further overcrowding the present heavy course of studies. Understanding that a commission has been proposed by the department of education for the purpose of considering the revision of the program, we would respectfully request that ample representation be given on this commission to the public school teachers of the province."

The committee presented another resolution approving the idea of organizing a provincial educational association to include all the educational interests of the province and suggesting that when a provincial teachers' convention can be arranged it should be held during the week following Easter. This was also adopted.

Prof. S. Y. Taylor then provoked a debate by moving that the government be asked to make a grant for the purpose of assisting the association financially, particularly for the purpose of bringing expert instructions to the city to address the teachers on pedagogical subjects during the annual meetings. He said such a grant was also needed to assist in establishing a professional teachers' library for this inspectorate.

Prof. Hay took issue with him, believing that it was asking too much of the government and would prove unwise.

Prof. W. T. Broad, of Crescent Heights, spoke warmly in support of the motion, saying that the plan is in vogue in most of the States, each State making a liberal grant for the purpose. The motion carried, and the teachers displayed enthusiasm over the idea.

## Earthquake Scare

San Francisco, Cal.—The failure of an engine in one of the big power houses caused by a low tide shutting off the water from the condenser, interrupted all telegraphic and telephonic communication with the outside world for about twenty minutes, and gave rise to a flood of rumors throughout the country that the interruption had been caused by an earthquake. As soon as the trouble in the power house was repaired and communication restored, many telegrams of inquiry from all parts of the country deluged the local telegraph, newspaper and press offices.

The fact that the Portland, Los Angeles and Salt Lake telegraph offices reported to their eastern connections that they could not reach San Francisco on any wires, tended to give some color to the rumors of an earthquake.

## Calgary Horse Show

Calgary.—The big Horse Show, Calgary's premier society event, will be held on April 5, 6, 7 and 8, at Sherman's Auditorium. The Fat Stock Show and Pure Bred Stock Sale will be held at the Exhibition grounds.

The directors decided to make this year's Horse Show bigger and better than ever. Several new features will be added and the prize list will be much larger than last year. The cattle breeders are also adding additional features this year, and with the Horse Show, Fat Stock Show and Pure Bred Stock Sale, the 5th to the 8th of April will be an important week for Calgary.

It was also decided to hold another Stock Show in Lacombe something similar to last year. This event will take place on June 1.

## Will Establish Plant in Canada

Toronto.—The Crocker Wheeler Manufacturing company, of Ampere, N.J., which has a \$250,000 electrical contract for Winnipeg, has decided to establish a big factory at St. Catharines, employing one hundred men, immediately, to take care of their Canadian contracts and to avoid the thirty per cent. duty.

## Canadian Apples Won

Nelson, B.C.—Kootenay secured fourteen prizes on plate exhibits, and British Columbia obtained 18 per cent. of the plate awards at the national apple show at Spokane. A box from F. G. Fauquier's ranch at Needles on the Columbia river, was selected for presentation to President Taft.

## FUR INDUSTRY IN FAR NORTH

Centre of the Fur Industry Will Now Move Northward—Catch Will Not Be Heavy This Season

Calgary.—McMurray, the northern terminal of the projected Great Waterways railroad, will be the future fur centre of the northwest in the opinion of J. K. Cornwall, M.P.P., who was in the city recently. Mr. Cornwall is said to have brought more fur out of the far north than any other man, having got into the business years ago as a hunter and trapper. He was hunting fur around Calgary when Calgary was almost as important a fur centre as Edmonton is now.

"The inevitable result of the construction of the Great Waterways railroad 350 miles northwest of Edmonton to the junction of the Athabasca and Clearwater rivers at Fort McMurray will be to shift the fur centre to the terminal town," he said. "Twenty-five years ago Edmonton was the biggest fur centre in the world, but with the encroachment of the railroads in the north other towns are springing up which are taking some of this trade away from her. She is fast losing her identity as a fur centre and developing into a manufacturing and railroad city."

"The fur belt begins now, you might say, 400 miles north of Edmonton. The intervening country with its wealth of agricultural and mineral resources is falling under the sway of the prospector and farmer. This country is being settled now just as the country north of Calgary was being settled not so many years ago."

"The junction of the Athabasca and Clearwater rivers was first seen by Peter Pond in 1769. When a railroad is built there from Edmonton it will tap 3,500 miles of waterways."

"As to the fur outlook for this season, I should say that the output will be just a trifle less than usual. Fur bearing animals as a rule migrate, and they have temporarily left the country north of Edmonton. For this reason the Alberta government has seen fit to allow beaver to be trapped from Nov. 15 to March 1. Beaver are animals that do not migrate, and one of the few that do not. With the beaver to fall back on, the fur hunters will probably get a fairly good supply of fur, but not quite so much as the average year."

## Calgary Fair Meeting

Calgary.—The directors of the Calgary fair at the annual meeting returned the same officials to office for the coming year, who carried last year's exhibition to such a successful termination. The finances of the last exhibition show they were only a few thousand dollars deficit, whereas they expected to be considerably in the hole. A great deal of money was expended in providing attractions and keeping the show up to the standard set at the Dominion fair. The company will keep the exhibition up to the same basis for next year for which elaborate preparations have been made. Manager Richardson has been complimented for the capable way the exhibitions have been handled and given full permission to go ahead with arrangements for next summer.

## Fencing Railway

Ottawa.—In the supreme court, Mr. Ford, K.C., deputy attorney-general of Saskatchewan, applied and obtained leave to be heard for the province in an appeal in regard to the Canadian Northern Railway company, in which argument was as to the validity of an order of the board of railway commissioners directing the railway company to fence lands not settled upon or enclosed but through which the line passes. The railway act provides that in any locality in which the lands are not settled or enclosed the fences need not be erected unless the board otherwise orders. The province contends and the company denies that this authorizes a general order to fence such lands. Judgment was reserved.

## Vulcanize Soft Woods

Niagara Falls, Ont.—By the formation of the Lumber Vulcanizing company of Canada with a capital of \$1,000,000, an alleged valuable process of treating soft lumber will be placed on the Canadian market. Fred Wood, who is a provisional director of the new company, said that a Dominion charter had been received from Ottawa. Wood states the company will vulcanize pine and soft gum woods by a patented process, which will seal the pores, harden the wood and render it impervious to decay. The process will be particularly valuable for railroad ties.

## Want Commission to Run Railway

Edmonton.—At the next meeting of the city council Ald. McInnis will bring forward a resolution to provide for a board of three railway commissioners to assume the full management of the Edmonton Radial Railway. His idea is to place the street railway on a thoroughly business basis and remove it entirely from the control or influence of the city council.

## Armours Realize Tremendous Profits

New York.—The earnings of the Armour company have been given out for the first time in connection with a new bond issue. In the prospectus it is shown that the company made a profit of 35 per cent., or \$7,000,000, annually on a capitalization of \$20,000,000.

## MAKE GOOD CANADIANS

MANY NATURALIZATION PAPERS ARE ISSUED TO NEW CITIZENS

The Number of Naturalized Citizens in the Farming Section of Western Canada is More Than Double That of the Previous Year—Many Cases of Re-Admission to British Nationality.

Ottawa, Ont.—The report of the secretary of state for the last fiscal year was tabled in the house of commons recently. It says that the number of charters issued under the companies' act during the year was 366. The total capitalization of all the companies for the year was \$119,324,375 and the capitalization of the existing companies was increased by \$82,293,000 which is more than double that of the largest previous year and within some eleven millions of the entire additional capitalization of the old companies in the last nine years.

The report states that the number of naturalized citizens in the farming section of western Canada was more than double that of the previous year while the record of cases of re-admission to British nationality indicates a fresh activity in the field of repatriation.

During the year 1908, 25,731 persons were naturalized, of these 715 were re-admitted to British nationality. Of these naturalized last year, 9,000 were from the United States, 3,982 from Austria, 3,046 from Russia, 1,852 from Italy, 1,083 from Galicia, 905 from Sweden, 652 from France, 580 from Hungary, 575 from Germany, 444 from Norway, 430 from Japan, 355 from China, 328 from Finland, 318 from Belgium and 187 from Iceland.

This makes a grand total of 114,135 persons registered as naturalized British subjects in Canada.

## Bryce Relieved of Duties for a Time

Washington.—The report that James S. Bryce, the British ambassador, is soon to be succeeded by Sir William Ernest De Bunsen, who is now ambassador at Madrid was received in diplomatic circles here as probable truth. It has been learned that Ambassador Bryce is to be recalled, at least temporarily, in order that the British government may have his advice on matters vitally affecting England and the United States. He will leave Washington about Dec. 1, so far as is known here, and may return in February. Then President Taft will be formally invited to visit Canada when he goes to Alaska next summer.

## Naval Bill Carried

Melbourne.—In the commonwealth house or representatives the minister of defence moved that this house approve the naval proposals and that immediate steps be taken to provide an Australian unit. The resolution carried by 309, the minority being composed of irreconcilable laborites. Fisher and other labor leaders voted with the majority. The Canadian Press association understands there is a new mail contract between the commonwealth government and the orient. The Steam Navigation company commences operation Feb. 1, 1910, and will have a duration of 10 years and will have a subsidy of 170,000 pounds a year.

## Edmonton Miners Go Out on Strike

Edmonton.—Three of the largest of the coal mines of the Edmonton district are standing practically idle, two of them being out of business entirely. The miners of Edmonton Standard Coal Company, who operate the old city mine, sometimes known as the Brenton; the Harrier Coal Company, who operate the Parkdale mine near the C. N. R. in the northeast end of the city mine, and the Ritchie Coal Company, whose mine is on Fraser Flats, walked out of the premises with their picks on their shoulders, and at present there is no indication when these mines can be again put into operation.

## Provincial Notes

Lethbridge.—Lethbridge improvement work completed shows nearly \$80,000 spent this year on sidewalks, sewers and streets, besides nearly \$200,000 on new power plant under construction.

The ratepayers meeting at Coleman almost unanimously voted in favor of being incorporated as a town.

The sale of Peigan Indian lands at Pincher Creek recently was very successful. Land sold upwards of \$20 an acre.

## Amendment to Manitoba Grain Act

Ottawa.—Hon. Sydney Fisher has given notice of an amendment to the Manitoba grain act, the object of which is to abolish the fixed fee of \$2 for licenses and to authorize the governor-in-council to fix the fees to be paid for licenses issued under the act, and also to fix the amount of the fine for contravention of the act.

## Question Referred to Canada

London.—The invitation from the United States for Great Britain to participate in an international conference with a view to regulate the taking of seals in the international waters of North America has been referred through the colonial office to Canada, as it is considered that the Dominion is more interested in this question than is the mother country.

## BUILD SHIPS IN THE DOMINION

Government Said to Be Preparing to Have Them Constructed Here

Ottawa.—The cruisers and destroyers for the new Canadian navy will be built if arrangements now pending can be carried to a conclusion. It is understood that the government feels strongly that the time has come for the establishing of the shipbuilding industry in the Dominion, and that the opportunity has come with the objection of the government to place orders for a considerable number of important vessels.

Negotiations were going to be between the Canadian government and a number of shipbuilding firms for the establishment of one or more modern and thoroughly equipped shipbuilding yards in Canada, and there is much indication that an announcement will be made within a short time that a ship yard will be opened. Qualified authorities state that there is no reason why cruisers and destroyers cannot be built in Canada up to the British admiralty standard. The cost of the first vessels might be slightly greater than it would be if the orders were placed with British yards, but the government feels that the eventual benefit to the country which would result from the establishment of the ship building industry in Canada on a large scale is ample justification for an increase in cost of the first naval vessels.

## Winnipeg's Philosophy

Winnipeg.—The break down of Lac Du Bonnet power plant of the street railway may finally result in great benefit to the city, for it has important bearing on the case now pending, on which hinges the ability of the city to go into municipal supply of power and light. The city has blamed that the company broke its franchise when it ceased manufacturing power with the old steam plant within the city and developed the Winnipeg river power 70 miles away. The company replied that its head steam plant was still employed in running the street cars. The water power stopped generating and every wheel stopped and light went out in the city. Since then the company has ignominiously failed to generate a quota of the power it claimed possible with its old steam plant and the city is determined now to get at the bottom of the claims of the company regarding power and expert engineers are already quietly at work.

## Avoiding Early Extinction of Seals

Washington.—The recommendation for an international conference with a view to regulating the killing of not only seals but whales and all other animals of the sea, along with other recommendations adopted at a conference of the fisheries commission, was laid before Mr. Nagel, secretary of commerce and labor, by David Starr Jordan, president of Leland Stanford university, and Mr. Bowers, commissioner of fisheries.

The whole question, so far as the pelagic sealing in the Pribiloff islands of the Behring sea is concerned, hinges on whether the killing of seals shall continue. The data before the conference shows the grave element of danger in the necessity of the female seals going so far out to sea in search of food that they cross the international boundary line. The elimination of the male seals, except as to a very small percentage of them, does not figure. There have been many cases of poaching with consequent fines and seizures, but it is now proposed to take up the whole question of the regulation of the sealing industry there to avoid a possible early extinction of the seals.

## Gloom in American Navy

Washington, D.C.—There is gloom among the rear admirals of the navy. Now comes along the first international rumour in which the United States has figured in years, and it is with Nicaragua, a country entirely too weak to permit them to fight with dignity and self-respect. Officers of the rank of commander would be in command of the little ships that would be employed against Nicaragua.

## New Wireless System

New York.—Nikola Tesla of Shoreham, L.I., has practically perfected a new system of wireless telegraphy, or telephony, which differs from the present wireless inasmuch as it utilizes, as a transmitting agency, the inherent conductivity of the earth itself instead of the waves of the air. With his new system he hopes to pass a communication completely around the earth within a fraction of a second.

## An Earthquake in Asia

Victoria, B.C.—A severe seismic disturbance on Bungo Channel was reported by the steamer Bellephoran, which arrived here from Japan. When the vessel encountered the disturbance she vibrated as if she had struck a rock. The earthquake was felt ashore and at Natakwa, in Okayama, a woman and a baby were killed by a falling house.

## High Protection Insupportable

London.—Addressing the London chamber of commerce Herr Kaempff, second vice-president said he was of the belief that the system of high protection, of which Germany, France and the United States were examples, would become insupportable.

## CANAL TO THE ROCKIES

GOVERNMENT IMPRESSED WITH NECESSITY OF DEVELOPMENT

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Says That a Plan for a Waterway to the Rocky Mountains is Under View—Deepening Saskatchewan in Order to Have Transportation from Edmonton to Winnipeg—Problem One of Finance

Ottawa.—A powerful deputation representing the trade and shipping interests of the St. Lawrence route, from the Great Lakes to Montreal, waited upon the premier and the Hon. George P. Graham, in the railway committee room to advocate the deepening of the Welland canal from 14 to 22 feet in order to accommodate the large vessels employed in trade along the route.

W. M. German, M.P., introduced the deputation, which included a number of members of parliament. In reply to the premier, he said that the project would cost probably \$20,000,000.

Several of the speakers had nothing good to say of the proposed Georgian Bay canal, and claimed that the development of the St. Lawrence route was the first consideration.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the government required no more exhortation upon this question. They were deeply impressed with the necessity of improving the transportation system. The whole plan of a waterway to the Rock Mountains was under view, and this very year they were deepening the Saskatchewan river in order to have water transportation from Edmonton to Winnipeg. However, when the great project of transportation for large vessels from the Great Lakes to Montreal had been solved, they would be able to compete more successfully with New York for the ocean trade. So far as the Georgian Bay canal was concerned, said Sir Wilfrid, the two schemes were not in competition. When it was completed and the route to the northwest was completed, they would carry not only the merchandise of the Canadian northwest but also of the American northwest. The problem was simply one of finance. As soon as the money problem was solved, and the minister of finance considered Canada could afford it, the work would be done.

## Panama-California Fair in Santiago

Los Angeles, Cal.—The Panama-California exposition, to be held in 1915, was given the unqualified endorsement of the Los Angeles chamber of commerce after a prolonged discussion of the subject. D. C. Collier, director-general of the enterprise, was called upon to outline the financial plans of the exposition, and the directors and the local chamber supported his declarations by advising that the whole of Southern California be represented in the organization for the project and carrying out of its plans.

## U. S. Produced \$94,560,000 in Gold

Washington, D.C.—The gold mines of the United States produced \$94,560,000 worth of the precious metal during 1908, according to the geological survey and the bureau of mines, which have co-operated in preparing an analysis of the reports from private refiners and federal assay offices. The total gold product was 4,574,340 ounces, a net increase in value of \$4,122,400. Colorado leads with a productive value of \$22,851,000. Alaska was second with \$19,858,800, and California was third with \$19,322,700.

## Three Hundred and Ten Lives Lost.

Cherry, Ill.—The best figures obtainable regarding the mine disaster are as follows: Total number of men in mine at the time of the fire, 527; men who escaped when fire broke out, 217; dead bodies recovered, identified and buried, 101; men rescued alive from the mine seven days after the fire, 20; rescue party burned in cage, 10; bodies in third vein, 169; total death list, 310.

## The G. T. P. to Calgary.

Ottawa.—Notice of application is given in the Canada Gazette by the G. T. P. railway for authority to construct such lines from (1) a point between ranges 12 and 17 to Calgary, or the line already authorized to be built to Calgary; (2) from a point between ranges 20 and 28 to Regina; (3) from range 27 to Moose Jaw; (4) from Wainwright to Battleford; (5) from Regina to Lethbridge.

## Agricultural High School

Lethbridge, Alta.—The provincial government will establish an agricultural high school at Lethbridge in connection with the city high school. Classes will be taught by two professors. Practical work will be done on the experimental farm. The other school to be established at once will be at Lacombe. Several more are to be established later.

## Peary Will Not Lecture

Washington, D.C.—Commander Robert E. Peary announced that he would not go on the lecture platform. He called at the White House to pay his respects to the president. Peary said that in his opinion the South Pole is surrounded by a continent or group of islands cemented together by ice.



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**Mountain House**

Alex Barnes is at present on a  
visit to his brother-in-law F D  
Barnes.

Those few warm days last week  
were responsible for quite a lot of  
visiting being done by the ladies.

Mr McClary made a few business  
and pleasure calls last Tuesday  
prior to his leaving Bowden for  
another field.

Last Thursday evening a very  
pleasant dance was enjoyed by all  
who braved the cold and turned up  
at Frank Gowells.

The Mountain House Recreation  
Club held their last meeting for  
the season at D Fordyces on  
Thursday. A very pleasant evening  
was spent and arrangements  
were made for future meetings.

Have you got your road-tax re-  
ceipt yet? If not, see that you get  
it pretty soon, as the election of  
councillor for next year will be  
held early in January and your  
vote may be required to get the  
right man in.

At the meeting held at A Baker's  
last Thursday it was decided to go  
ahead with the Bottomwood school  
district, and three trustees were  
duly elected; J Miller, S Floyd, G  
Steel. As soon as a favorable re-  
ply is received from the Edmonton  
Department, work will be put in  
hand. G Grant is to be asked to  
grant a site for the new school.

**Red Lodge**

Red Lodge school honor roll for  
month of November:

Standard VI. Graham Adam  
Standard V. Jack Adam  
Standard III. Kathy Adams  
Standard II. Lulu Thomson  
Standard I. Willie Lee  
A Wilson, Teacher

**Lakeview**

Owen Smith has again started  
for J M Myers to thresh.

Miss Edna Stevenson returned  
home on Sunday.

Sam Graham and wife left for  
the south on Monday.

G H Johnson and Jas McKay  
paid Innisfail a visit this week.

Mrs Logan is spending a few  
days in Red Deer this week.

Mr and Mrs Geo Burgess were  
at Pine Lake on Thursday.

A few of our young people took  
in the dance at Huxley on Friday.  
They report a good time.

Mrs H Rushton who has been  
visiting her sister, Mrs Lawrence  
left for Calgary on Monday.

Mr Page of Pine Lake was in  
this district looking for stray horses  
on Friday.

Miss Brogan of Buffalo passed  
through here on her way to Tren-  
ville to visit her brother.

Owing to the cold weather Mrs  
W H Wood and Wesley have moved  
to Pine Lake for the winter  
months.

G H Johnson is pulling his  
threshing outfit up to Pine Lake  
on Tuesday. Quite a number are  
not yet threshed in that district.

**Gentleman Farmers**

To one and all; it was im-  
possible for me to get my  
business sold or get in a  
shape to go on a farm this  
year as it was late, so I have  
made up my mind to stay in  
town and deal with you a few  
years longer. I will move my  
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